TRAVANCORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THIRD COUNCIL.

FIRST SESSION OF 1104.

(*OFFICIAL REPORT.*)

Thursday, the 25th April, 1929/13th Medam. 1104.

The Council reassembled in the Victoria Jubilee Town Hall at Eleven-thirty of the Clock, the President M. E. Watts, Esq., B. A., BARRISTER-AT-LAW, presiding.

All the members except Messrs. L. A. Bishop and L. R. Raja Raja Varma Koiltampuran were present.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Lalam-Punjar Road.

259. **MR. A. C. KURIAKOSE** (*Minachil cum Devicolam*): Considering the importance of the Punjar-Peermade road, will the Government be pleased to make the necessary arrangements for the extension of the Lalam-Punjar road up to Peermade, in continuation of the ryots' road from Punjar to Peermade which has been almost completed?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): The Chief Engineer reports that the ryots' road from Punjar to Peermade, said to have been completed, is not fit for cart traffic and is not in existence as such. It is therefore premature to think of its extension to Peermade.

Disposal of Poramboke and Puduval cases.

260. **MR. A. C. KURIAKOSE** (*Minachil cum Devicolam*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they are aware that, in connection with *poramboke* and *puduval* cases, people have been suffering hardships for three and four years, on account of the subordinate officers in the Taluk Cutcherries; and

(*b*) whether they will call for and lay on the table a statement showing the number of *poramboke* and *puduval* cases pending in the Minachil Taluk Cutcherry, the years in which they were filed and the reasons for not disposing of them?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*) No.

(*b*) A statement * showing the particulars is laid on the table.

* *Vide* Appendix I—page 506.

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